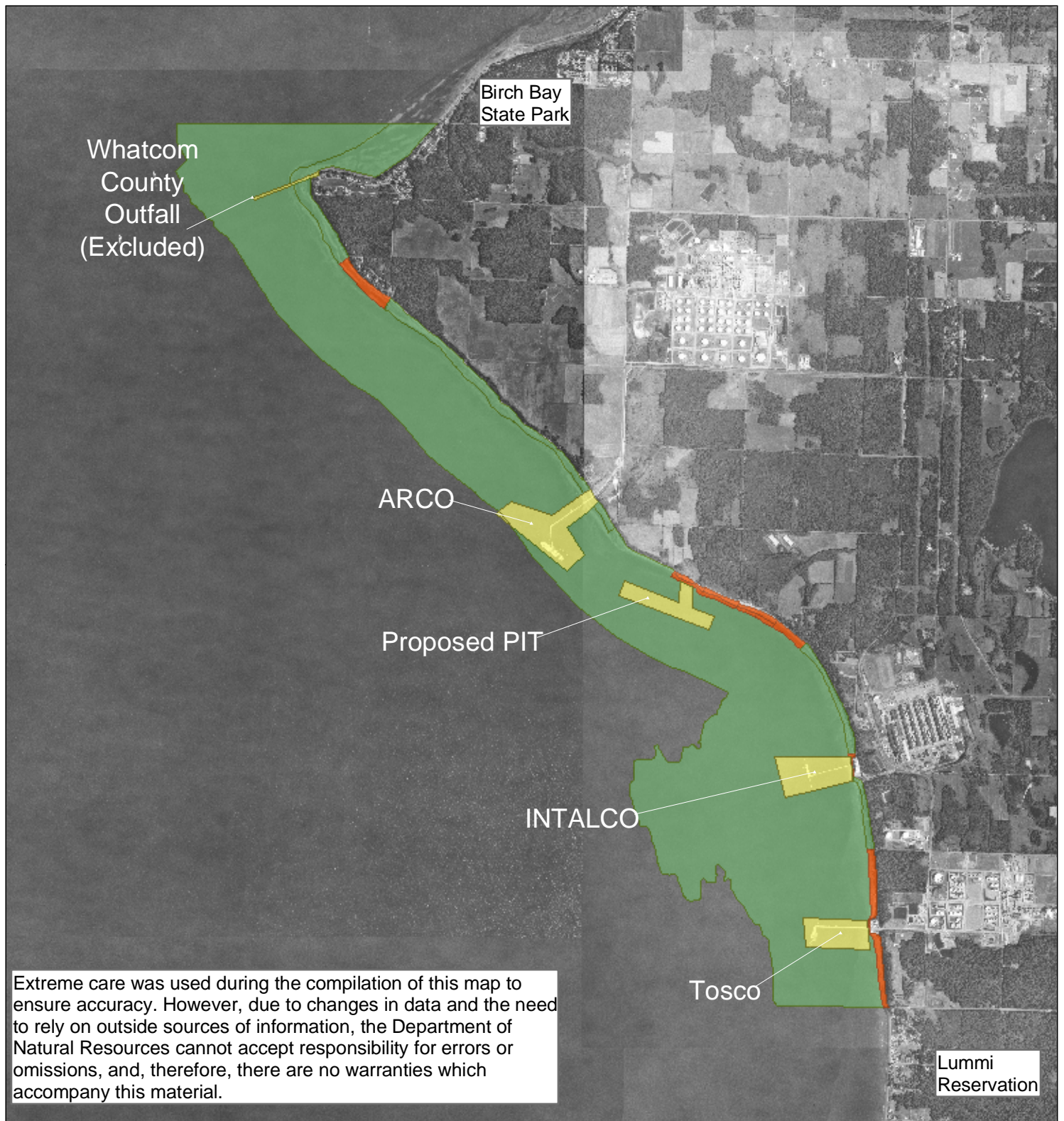


# Cherry Point Withdrawn Area



Cherry Point historically provided spawning habitat for more than half of Puget Sound's entire Pacific herring population. Many species depend upon herring as food, including Chinook salmon, listed as endangered by the federal government. Herring spawning has dropped by more than 91% from historic levels. The withdrawal is established to protect Cherry Point's essential habitat and prevent further degradation.

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- State withdrawn area
- Existing encumbrances
- Tidelands in other ownership (not subject to withdrawal)



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